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Summer Food Service Program

In 2018, the SFSP provided more than 145 million nutritious meals and snacks to children during the summer when school was not in session.

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Ensuring Children have Access to Nutritious Meals and Snacks When School is not in Session

The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) is a federally-funded, state-administered program. SFSP reimburses program operators who serve free healthy meals and snacks to children and teens in low-income areas.

Program Fact Sheet



I am a...

State Agency

Program Operator

Household

How to Participate

Finding an SFSP Site

Are you a parent or guardian looking for SFSP sites near you? Find a summer site in your community with our [Summer Meal Site Finder](https://www.fns.usda.gov/summerfoodrocks) <https://www.fns.usda.gov/summerfoodrocks> mapping tool. You can also text “Summer Meals” to 97779 or call 1-866-348-6479 to find a site near you.

Operating an SFSP Site

Are you interested in [operating a site](#) [https://www.fns.usda.gov/sfsp/how-become-sponsor](#) that serves summer meals? See the [contact information](#) of your state agency. They can help determine if you are located in an eligible area.

What's New?

**Questions and
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Spotlights



2018 Nutrition Guide

Summer sites play a valuable role in helping children learn, grow, and stay healthy. Check out the SFSP Nutrition Guide to learn how you plan and serve menus with a variety of nutrient-rich foods and beverages, and operate a safe and successful food service.



Program Guidance

These resources are periodically updated to reflect changes to the Summer Food Service Program and highlight new resources available for sponsors.

Final Rule: Simplified Cost Accounting and Other Actions To Reduce Paperwork in the SFSP

Summer Food Rocks! Find Sites Serving Summer Meals

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Summer Meals Toolkit

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